

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) ~~The use of at least one water-soluble polymer and of at least one coloring agent in the manufacture of a~~ A cosmetic product for making up and/or caring for the lips comprising an anhydrous film, ~~this the film being formed of~~ comprising at least one layer composed of a matrix based on ~~said a~~ water-soluble polymer in which is included ~~said a coloring agent, said cosmetic product being intended for making up and/or caring for the lips.~~
2. (Currently Amended) ~~The use as claimed in claim 1~~ method of claim 20, characterized in that wherein the polymer is ~~chosen from polymers of~~ selected from the group consisting of protein type polymers; ~~polymers deriving from chitin derived polymers; or from chitosan derived polymers~~; polysaccharide polymers; acrylic polymers or copolymers; vinyl polymers; copolymers of vinylpyrrolidone and of caprolactam, and ~~their blends thereof.~~
3. (Currently Amended) ~~The use as claimed in claim 1~~ method of claim 20, characterized in that said wherein the coloring agent is ~~chosen from~~ selected from the group consisting of water-soluble dyes, pigments and ~~their mixtures thereof.~~
4. (Currently Amended) ~~The use as claimed in claim 1~~ method of claim 20, characterized in that wherein the coloring agent comprises at least one water-soluble coloring agent.
5. (Currently Amended) ~~The use as claimed in~~ method of claim 4, ~~characterized in that said wherein~~ the water-soluble dye is ~~chosen~~ selected from the group consisting of copper sulfate, iron sulfate, water-soluble sulfopolyesters, rhodamines, natural

dyes, such as carotene and, beetroot juice, methylene blue, caramel, the disodium salt of tartrazine and, the disodium salt of fuchsin, and their mixtures thereof.

6. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in claim 1~~ method of claim 20, characterized in that wherein the coloring agent comprises at least one pigment.

7. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in~~ method of claim 6, characterized in that ~~said wherein~~ the pigment is chosen selected from the group consisting of reflecting pigments, goniochromatic pigments, interference pigments, pearlescent pigments, fluorescent pigments, glitter and ~~their mixtures thereof~~.

8. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in claim 1~~ method of claim 20, characterized in that wherein the coloring agent is present in a content ranging from 0.005 to 20% by weight, in particular from 0.01 to 10% by weight and more particularly from 0.05 to 5% by weight, with respect to the total weight of said cosmetic product.

9. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in claim 1~~ method of claim 20, characterized in that wherein the product additionally comprises at least one active compound.

10. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in~~ method of claim 9, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ the active compound is water-soluble.

11. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in~~ method of claim 9, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ the active compound is chosen from compounds a compound having a moisturizing, softening, emollient, healing, regenerating, soothing or antiwrinkle action, a protective action against solar radiation or an action targeted at enhancing blood microcirculation in order to render the lips naturally more colored, in order to increase their volume or in order to smooth their surface.

12. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in~~ method of claim 9, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ the active compound is chosen selected from the group

consisting of vitamin E and its derivatives, vitamin A and its derivatives, polyunsaturated fatty acids, essential oils, plant extracts, sphingolipids and ceramides, sunscreens, ~~such as, for example,~~ octyl methoxycinnamate, 3-benzophenone or butylmethoxydibenzoylmethane, retinoic acid and its esters, and ~~their mixtures~~ thereof.

13. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in method of claim 9,~~ characterized in that wherein the active compound is ~~chosen~~ selected from the group consisting of α -hydroxy acids, such as lactic acid or glycolic acid, ascorbic acid and its biologically compatible salts, enzymes, components with a tightening effect, hydroxy acids and their salts, hydroxylated polyacids, sucrose and its derivatives, urea, amino acids, oligopeptides, water-soluble plant extracts, peptide or protein hydrolysates, bacterial ferments, trace elements, hyaluronic acid and its salts, mucopolysaccharides, vitamins B2, B6, H, PP, panthenol, folic acid, β -hydroxy acids, such as acetylsalicylic acid, allantoin, glycyrrhetic acid, kojic acid, hydroquinone, arginine, lysine, proline, serine, flavonoids, ginkgo biloba extracts, and ~~their mixtures~~ thereof.

14. (Currently Amended) The ~~use as claimed in claim 1 method of claim~~ 20, characterized in that wherein the product is devoid of water-insoluble support layer.

15. (Currently Amended) A method for making up the lips, the method comprising applying, to the lips, a cosmetic product ~~for making up and/or caring for the lips~~ comprising an anhydrous film, ~~this the film being formed of~~ comprising at least one layer composed of a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, ~~said the coloring agent being chosen~~ selected from the group consisting of reflecting pigments, goniochromatic pigments, interference pigments, pearlescent pigments, fluorescent pigments, glitter and ~~their mixtures~~ thereof.

16. (Currently Amended) A method for making up the lips, the method comprising applying, to the lips, a cosmetic product ~~for making up and/or caring for the lips~~

comprising:

- an anhydrous film, ~~this the film being formed of~~ comprising at least one layer composed of a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, and
- an active compound ~~chosen from compounds~~ having a softening, healing, regenerating or soothing action or an action targeted at enhancing blood microcirculation in order to render the lips naturally more colored, in order to increase their volume or in order to smooth their surface.

17. (Currently Amended) A method for making up the lips, the method comprising applying, to the lips, a cosmetic product for making up and/or caring for the lips comprising:

- an anhydrous film, ~~this the film being formed of~~ at least one layer composed of a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, and
- at least one active compound ~~chosen~~ selected from the group consisting of polyunsaturated fatty acids, sphingolipids and ceramides, octyl methoxycinnamate, retinoic acid and its esters, and ~~their mixtures thereof~~.

18. (Currently Amended) A method for making up the lips, the method comprising applying, to the lips, a cosmetic product for making up and/or caring for the lips comprising:

- an anhydrous film, ~~this the film being formed of~~ at least one layer composed of a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, and
- at least one active compound ~~chosen~~ selected from the group consisting of glycolic acid, enzymes, components with a tightening effect, hydroxy acids and their salts,

hydroxylated polyacids, amino acids, oligopeptides, peptide or protein hydrolysates, bacterial ferments, trace elements, hyaluronic acid and its salts, mucopolysaccharides, vitamins B2, B6, H, PP, panthenol, folic acid, β -hydroxy acids, such as acetylsalicylic acid, allantoin, glycyrrhetic acid, kojic acid, arginine, lysine, proline, serine, flavonoids, ginkgo biloba extracts, and their mixtures thereof.

19. (Currently Amended) The ~~method cosmetic product as claimed in of~~ claim 15, ~~characterized in that it~~ wherein the cosmetic product is devoid of a water-insoluble support layer.

20. (Currently Amended) A method for making up the lips, ~~characterized in that it comprises the facts of~~ the method comprising applying, to the lips, a cosmetic product ~~as defined according to claim 15~~ comprising an anhydrous film, the film comprising at least one layer composed of a matrix based on a water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent;

_____ and of dissolving the product by the action of ~~the saliva and the rubbing of~~ the lips against one another or the pressure of ~~the a~~ finger.